

# Steve Griffin Arrives From the Frozen North and Starts Fanning

## STEVE GRIFFIN HERE AND TALKS OF PLANS FOR COMING SEASON

Arrives With Mrs. Griffin on Schedule Time—Visits Ball Park and Is Well Satisfied With Progress. Transportation Goes Out to Players To-Morrow.

BY GUS MALBERT.  
Playing the schedule to the limit, Steve Griffin, with Mrs. Griffin having him carefully in tow, finished his long trek yesterday, somewhat after the sun had crossed the midway station. He rolled into this otherwise peaceful city, dusted the stains of travel from his modish tailor-made, bought a trolley ride for two, and at exactly twenty-two and one-half minutes after 4 o'clock arrived at his hotel.

The big thaw had arrived. "Now listen—this is A city," and Steve stretched and yawned and coyly drifted to the nearest rocker, while Mrs. Steve argued with the hotel clerk.

The preliminaries having been completed, meaning removal of baggage, completion of the argument and other details, Steve sauntered—Steve never jolts, or strolls, or walks; he always saunters—to the highways and byways which had known him not for, lo! these many days—days so many, indeed, that the spiked

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## HEMPSTEAD TAKES LOOK AT GIANTS SPIDERS PREPARE FOR HARD GAMES

Thoroughly Pleased With Men He Watches—Six Circuit Swats Pounded Out.

Marlin, Tex., March 17.—President Hempstead, of the New York Giants, arrived here today and saw a game between the Regulars and Colts, in which no less than six home runs were knocked out. The boss did not regard this marvelous, however, rather saying the batting triumph to the inmates of Emerson Park and the roughness of the hard-baked field. None of the six men had to hit over the fence to get the four bases.

## TRINITY PARK LOSES TO A. & M.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
Raleigh, N. C., March 17.—In the first game of baseball of the season A. & M. defeated Trinity Park today by the score of 3 to 1. Considering the weather, which was rather cold for baseball, the game was fast, both sides putting up a good game. The features of the game were the pitching of Russell for A. & M., striking out sixteen men and allowing only four scattered hits, and the batting and fielding of Brittain, who got two hits out of three times at the bat. Terry also played a good game at first base. The visitors played a good, consistent game, and Cavendish pitched a good game.

Score by innings: R. H. E. Trinity Park.....00000000-1 4 3 A. & M. 10010000-3 6 1

Batteries—A. & M., Russell and Cornell; Trinity Park, Cavendish and Thornton. Two-base hit—Correll. Stolen bases—A. & M., 5; Trinity Park, 1. Struck out—By Russell, 16; by Cavendish, 3. Base on balls—Of Trinity, 1; of Cavendish, 2. Double play—A. & M., 1. Umpire, Hoffman. Time of game, 1:30. Attendance, 60.

Sullivan Gets Decision.

New York, March 17.—Paddy Sullivan won the popular decision over Willie Adams at the Olympia, N. C., to-night. Sullivan was the aggressor from the start.

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## HOW THE FALL-AWAY SLIDE WORKS



the diminutive utility infielder recent of the New York Giants, practicing the hook slide under the watchful eye of Manager McGraw, who is playing the bag. The wily manager of the National League champions is a strong advocate of this method of pilfering bases and spends a great deal of time instructing the new players in the art.

MIDGET GROH.

## CAMMELIA WINS HER SECOND RACE

John Furlong Grabs Feature Event From Favorites—Owners Shipping to Norfolk.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
Charleston, S. C., March 17.—After many trials Cammella finally put another race under her belt at Palmetto Park to-day. It was her first victory in many months, and the bookies thought so little of her that they offered as much as 15 to 1 that she would not win. A little play at post time drove the price down to 10 to 1.

John Furlong beat Cherryola and Milton B. in the fourth race, which was the feature on the card. Blue Mouse, another outsider took the final race of the day from Guttyhunk, the favorite.

Half a dozen owners will ship their horses to Norfolk and Marlboro this week. Several owners that did intend taking in the Jamestown meeting have decided to ship to Marlboro instead so as to save expenses of a second shipment to Maryland, which would be necessary if they raced in Virginia. Summaries:

First race—maiden; three-year-olds and up; six furlongs—R. H. Gray (5 to 1), first; Syossett (2 to 1), second; Puchla (1 to 2), third. Time, 1:17 3-5. Anna Claire, Snow Flake, Richland, Pink Beau, Wiley B., Sweet Times, too. Kenneth D., Old Hank, Morgan Wilson also ran.

Second race—four-year-olds and up; selling; six furlongs—Star Gift (4 to 5), first; Senator Suarks (2 to 1), second; Star Rose (3 to 1), third. Time, 1:16 2-5. Bud nags H. Grace Mc., Cliftop, Lady Hughes, Clifton Square, Ben Prior, Casque, Blissen, Jr., also ran.

Third race—four-year-olds and up; selling; six furlongs—Camella (10 to 1), first; Bodkin (even), second; New Star (2 to 1), third. Time, 1:16 4-5. Tiny Tim, Quincy Belle, Jim Milton, Merise, Blanche Francis, Detet, Golden Treasure, Sidon also ran.

Fourth race—St. Patrick's Day handicap of \$1,200; three-year-olds and up; mile and a furlong—John Furlong (3 to 2), first; Cherryola (5 to 1), second; Milton R. (9 to 5), third. Time, 1:54 3-5. Voltzrope, Merry and, White Wool, Carlton G., Faton also ran.

Fifth race—three-year-olds and up; selling; six furlongs—Theresa Gill (11 to 10), first; Coppertown (5 to 1), second; Nimbus (1 to 3), third. Time, 1:15 1-5. Grosvenor, Gardemia, Chemulpo, Ragman also ran.

Sixth race—four-year-olds and up; selling; mile and a sixteenth—Blue Mouse (4 to 1), first; Cuttyhunk (1 to 2), second; Mycenne (3 to 5), third. Time, 1:50. Montagne, Russieu, Pretend, Haldeman also ran.

MOBILE GULF BEATEN, 4 TO 6, BY LEAGUERS

Mobile, Ala., March 17.—The second game between the Cincinnati Reds and the Mobile Gulf resulted in a victory for the big leaguers, 4 to 0. Benton, Sugas and Fromme pitched for the Reds, while Hirsch and Townsend pitched for the Gulf. Benton was not up to last year's form, neither was Sugas, while Fromme showed good form for the visitors. Tinker's work at first was classy, his peg work being perfect. Hobbs at first was a star with sixteen put outs.

## PRIVATE RACES IS LATEST FAD

Kentucky Woman, Wife of Horseman, Gets Sanction for Novel Entertainment.

New York, March 17.—Mrs. Clarence W. Lebus, wife of a wealthy Kentucky horseman who makes a specialty of raising thoroughbreds, has come to New York to arrange for a private horse race, which is to be the unique feature of a big house party at her home in Lexington, Ky. A barbecue is to be an additional feature of the entertainment, to which several prominent New Yorkers have been invited.

Mrs. Lebus has obtained the sanction of the Jockey Club for the proposed private race. To make the house party and the race something to remember forty silver trophy cups are to be offered as prizes.

RAIN PREVENTS GAME IN WHITE SOX CAMP

Oakland Cal., March 17.—Rain caused a postponement of today's game between the White Sox Regulars and St. Mary's College. This evening the team left for Visalia, where they play Portland to-morrow. Wednesday they play at Bakersfield, and the following day they reach Pasadena.

## DAHLEN FORCED TO CHANGE PARKS

Continued Rain Inundates Regular Field, While Substitute Is Little Better.

Augusta, Ga., March 17.—Warren Park being still under water, Manager Dahlen, of the Superbas, today secured the consent of the city to use the City Park, and took all of his players out for practice.

The smallness of the grounds, however, with an artificial lake and canal, which partially surround the field, made it impossible for the Superbas to do much but hunt hit to the outfield and give the pitchers a chance to work. The program, the best that can be arranged, will be carried on for three or four days, by which time Warren Park is expected to be in playing condition. Dahlen hopes to be on his regular grounds by Friday, as the Newark are due here from Savannah on that date for games that day and Saturday.

The date for the game with Ty Cobb's team, which was to have been played, will be arranged in day or two.

INDOOR REHEARSALS FOR WHOLE CUB SQUAD

Tampa, Fla., March 17.—Rain prevented today's game between the Irish and the Dutch. The Cubs worked under shelter at the clubhouse in two squads. The catchers and pitchers tossed the pill to the youngsters in the morning session. After lunch the infielders and outfielders rehearsed.

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## FOURTEEN STAR ACTS WILL TAKE PART IN JNO. DUNN MEMORIAL

Academy To-Night to be Scene of Monster Testimonial to Memory of Father of Amateur Baseball in Richmond—Playhouse Will Present Brilliant Appearance.

### Washington Amateurs Honor John M. Dunn

Washington, D. C., March 17.—At a meeting of the Amateur Baseball Commission here to-night a resolution was adopted calling for a letter of condolence to be sent to the family of the late J. M. Dunn, who passed away recently. Mr. Dunn was beloved by all followers of amateur baseball in the District of Columbia.

When the curtain rises at the Academy of Music to-night at 8:15 o'clock practically every seat in the spacious auditorium and galleries will be occupied by friends of the late John M. Dunn, in whose honor the entertainment is given as a memorial to his fidelity in the work of advancing the cause of clean amateur sports in Richmond—amateur baseball being the chief sport to which he devoted so much time and energy.

It will be a memorial occasion in memory of a man who was beloved by the young men of Richmond and vicinity, as evidenced by the action taken by the amateur commission of Washington, D. C., last night in forwarding to the widow and children of Mr. Dunn a letter of condolence on behalf of the young men of that city, who knew Mr. Dunn in life and have pleasant memories of him after he has ceased to be among them.

To-night's entertainment will be produced by the best professional and amateur talent of Richmond. Among the latter are several who are on the verge of the professional class, so that the show of two hours' duration will be one strictly first-class in every particular.

It will make the old folk's hearts turn with more tender feeling toward little children (if such a thing is possible), to hear little Mike and Lena Machino's wonderful voices in the songs they will render. Experts who have heard the children sing have been amazed at the talent they have shown, and this will be one of the features of to-night's entertainment.

It will be laughter from the rise of

the curtain. Manager Blair Meanley, of the Empire Theatre, announces that Leo Greenwood, leading man in the "Honeymoon Trail," now at that playhouse, will appear in to-night's program at the Academy and give several character sketches, for which acts he has won a reputation throughout the South.

The stage directors, Henry Hotchkies and Manager Ed Lyons, of the Columbia, will see that everything moves off with clocklike precision. There will be one intermission of five minutes during the entire performance.

Among the fourteen or more acts will be a wrestling match between George Herbert, champion featherweight, and Frank Morano. They will show how the game is played according to the book of rules, and will also show some rules not laid down in the books, and there will be many things to bring a smile and hold your interest during this match.

Guitar, mandolin and other instruments in the hands of the Landrum String Band of eight members will produce melodies which will remind you of the days before machines took the place of the darkies in the tobacco and cotton fields and auto trucks replaced the melody-laden voices of the darkies while removing cotton from the steamers along the Mississippi River.

Black-face stunts will be pulled off by "Billy" Baird, a professional from the Lublin; Bernstein and Ruxton, and "Happy" Grant. These four will conspire with the others in the various acts to keep you laughing from the minute the curtain is rolled up until it falls upon the last act.

Bottoms and Ciesham will give a burlesque boxing match and burlesque in which many new stunts will be enacted. Crafts will sing as only he can; the Capital City Quartet, Jack and Beulah Futrelle, blackface artists, the Columbia children, and others will all take part in sketches, and others will all take part in sketches, to make the evening's entertainment, what has been predicted for it, the very best high class amateur entertainment ever given in Richmond.

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